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PUBLIC SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT AND REPLY COMMENT DATES FOR FURTHER NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING ON TRAVELERS' INFORMATION STATIONS

PS Docket No. 09-19, RM-11514, RM-11531

Comments Due: September 18, 2013 Reply Comments Due: October 3, 2013

On July 23, 2013, the Federal Communications Commission issued a Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (*FNPRM*) addressing Travelers' Information Stations (TIS). The Commission sought comment on removing the filtering provision of Section 90.242(b)(8) of the Commission's rules, which requires TIS stations to filter audio frequencies above 3 kHz. The *FNPRM* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 45 days after publication in the Federal Register.

On August 19, 2013, the Office of the Federal Register published a summary of the *FNPRM* and associated comment and reply comment dates.⁴ Accordingly, comments must be filed on or before September 18, 2013; and reply comments must be filed on or before October 3, 2013.⁵ The *FNPRM* sets forth the comment filing instructions.⁶

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¹ Travelers' Information Stations; American Association of Information Radio Operators Petition for Ruling on Travelers' Information Station Rules; Highway Information Systems, Inc. Petition for Rulemaking; American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials Petition for Rulemaking; PS Docket No. 09-19, RM-11514, RM-11531, *Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking*, FCC 13-98, (rel. July 23, 2013) (*FNPRM*).

² 47 C.F.R. § 90.242(b)(8).

 $^{^{3}}$ *FNPRM* at 16 ¶ 42-43.

⁴ 78 Fed. Reg. 50370 (Aug. 19, 2013).

⁵ *Id*.

⁶ FNPRM at $17 \, \P \, 45$.